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**Report on Credentials  
List of Delegations**

**Background**

1. The Secretariat has examined the credentials received from ICO Members listed in Annex I and has informed the Chair of the Council that they were found to be in good and due form. The Chair of the Council recommends that these credentials be approved.
2. The List of Delegations, based on the credentials which the Chair recommends that the Council approve, is attached as Annex II and also contains a list of international organizations and private sector associations attending the Council.

## **REPORT CREDENTIALS LIST OF DELEGATIONS**

### **1. Credentials received from Members**

Angola, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Congo, Dem. Rep., Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Ethiopia, European Union (Austria, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, and Spain), Honduras, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kenya, Madagascar, Mexico, Nepal, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Russian Federation, Switzerland, Tanzania, Togo, and United Kingdom.

### **2. International organizations represented at this session**

African Export–Import Bank (AFREXIMBANK), International Finance Corporation (IFC), International Trade Centre (ITC), United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO).

### **3. Private sector associations, non-governmental organizations and other entities represented at this session**

African Fine Coffees Association (AFCA), All Japan Coffee Association (AJCA), Conservation International/Sustainable Coffee Challenge, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Global Coffee Platform (GCP), National Coffee Association (NCA) Specialty Coffee Association (SCA), and Sustainable Food Lab.

### **4. Members under the ICA 2007 not represented at the meeting**

Central African Republic, Gabon, Ghana, Liberia, Malawi, Nigeria, Nicaragua, Panama, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Thailand, Tunisia, Venezuela, Vietnam, Yemen, and Zimbabwe.

### **5. Official Credential letter pending from the following countries that participated at the Council Session**

Burundi, Timor-Leste, Zambia

**LIST OF DELEGATIONS****ICC-138-9****1. DELEGATIONS**

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**ANGOLA**

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**Representative**

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**Alternate(s)**

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Minister Counsellor  
Embassy of the Republic of Angola in London

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Embassy Technical Assistant for ICO and ISO  
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**BOLIVIA**

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**Representative**

Juan Carlos Crespo Montalvo  
Encargado de negocios a.i.  
Embajada del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia ante el  
Reino Unido de Gran Bretaña

**Alternate(s)**

Luis Hernán Soria Galvarro Quiroga  
Segundo Secretario  
Embajada del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia ante el  
Reino Unido de Gran Bretaña

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**BRAZIL**

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**Representative**

José Augusto Andrade  
Embaixador  
Representação Permanente do Brasil junto às  
Organizações Internacionais sediadas em Londres

**Alternate(s)**

Silas Brasileiro  
Presidente-executivo  
Conselho Nacional do Café (CNC)

Marcos Antonio Matos  
Diretor-geral  
Conselho dos Exportadores de Café do Brasil (Cecafé)

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Cooperativa Regional de Cafeicultores em Guaxupé  
(Cooxupé)

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Diretor  
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Presidente  
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Representação Permanente do Brasil junto às  
Organizações Internacionais sediadas em Londres

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Assessora  
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Márcio Rezende Evaristo Carlos  
Adido Agrícola  
Embaixada do Brasil em Londres

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**BURUNDI**

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**Representative**

Epimeni Bapfinda  
Encargado de negocios a.i.  
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary  
Ambassade de la République du Burundi

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**COLOMBIA**

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**Representative**

Germán Alberto Bahamón Jaramillo  
General Manager  
Colombian National Federation of Coffee Growers

**Alternate(s)**

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Colombia Coffee Federation, Inc.

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Member  
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Member  
FNC's Directors Committee

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Member  
FNC's Directors Committee

Javier Mauricio Tovar Casas  
Member  
FNC's Directors Committee

Rogelio Rodriguez Castillo  
Member  
FNC's Directors Committee

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## **CONGO, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE**

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### **Representative**

Corneille Tabalo  
Représentant Permanent de la République  
Démocratique du Congo auprès des Organisations  
Internationales du Café et du Cacao, à Londres  
Ambassade de la République Démocratique du Congo  
au Royaume-Uni

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## **COSTA RICA**

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### **Representative**

Gustavo Jiménez Elizondo  
Director Ejecutivo  
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## **COTE D'IVOIRE**

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### **Representative**

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Base à Londres

### **Advisor(s)**

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## **CUBA**

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### **Representative**

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### **Alternate(s)**

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## **ECUADOR**

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### **Representative**

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### **Alternate(s)**

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## **EL SALVADOR**

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### **Representative**

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### **Alternate(s)**

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Consejera encargada del seguimiento de la agenda de  
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## ETHIOPIA

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### Representative

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## EUROPEAN UNION

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### Representative

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## EUROPEAN UNION – AUSTRIA

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## EUROPEAN UNION – IRELAND

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## EUROPEAN UNION – ITALY

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### Representative

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## EUROPEAN UNION – LITHUANIA

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### Representative

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## EUROPEAN UNION – SPAIN

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### Representative

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## HONDURAS

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### Representative

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## INDIA

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### Representative

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## INDONESIA

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### Representative

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## JAPAN

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### Representative

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## KENYA

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## MADAGASCAR

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### Representative

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## MEXICO

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## NEPAL

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## NORWAY

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## PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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### Representative

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## PERU

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### Representative

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## PHILIPPINES

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## RUSSIAN FEDERATION

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**SWITZERLAND**

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**TANZANIA**

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**TIMOR-LESTE**

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**Alternate(s)**

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**TOGO**

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**UNITED KINGDOM**

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**ZAMBIA**

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**Alternate(s)**

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## 2. OBSERVERS

### INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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#### **African Export–Import Bank (AFREXIMBANK)**

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#### **International Finance Corporation (IFC)**

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#### **International Trade Centre (ITC)**

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Hernan Manson  
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#### **United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)**

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Andrea De Marco  
Industrial Development Expert

### PRIVATE SECTOR ASSOCIATIONS, NON- GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AND OTHER ENTITIES

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#### **African Fine Coffees Association (AFCA)**

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Amir Hamza  
Board Chairman

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#### **All Japan Coffee Association (AJCA)**

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Board Chairman

Masao Muto  
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#### **Conservation International/Sustainable Coffee Challenge**

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Niels Haak  
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#### **Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)**

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#### **Global Coffee Platform (GCP)**

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#### **National Coffee Association (NCA)**

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William Murray  
President & CEO

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#### **Specialty Coffee Association (SCA)**

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Chief Sustainability and Knowledge Development  
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#### **Sustainable Food Lab**

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Christina Archer  
Senior Adviser

## 3. PRESENTERS AND PANELLISTS

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### CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL

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Enselme Gouthon  
Chair of the 138<sup>th</sup> Session of the International Coffee  
Council

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### VICE-CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL

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Tom Fabozzi  
Vice-Chair of the 138<sup>th</sup> Session of the International  
Coffee Council

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## **INTERNATIONAL COFFEE ORGANIZATION**

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